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## **Hearing: Local Law Enforcement Preparedness**

*NY, Miami, London Police Chiefs to Detail Local Strategies in the War on Terror*

**WHO:** Subcommittee on Prevention of Nuclear and Biological Attack  
Chairman John Linder (R-GA)

**WHEN:** 2 p.m., Thursday, September 21, 2006

**WHERE:** TBA

### **WITNESSES**

**Raymond W. Kelly**  
Police Commissioner  
New York Police Department  
City of New York

**John F. Timoney**  
Chief of Police  
Miami Police Department  
City of Miami

**Brett Lovegrove**  
Superintendent  
Anti-Terrorism Branch  
City of London Police  
London, England

**Ahmet Sait Yayla**  
Major  
Counterterrorism and Operations Division  
Ankara Police Department  
Ankara, Turkey

## **BACKGROUND**

The Subcommittee on Prevention of Nuclear and Biological Attack will hold a hearing to examine the role of local law enforcement in preventing acts of terrorism. The Subcommittee will hear from police leaders from several major cities that have been targeted by terrorists, including New York and London. The witnesses will explore local strategies to counter threats of terrorism.